

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please replace the title of the invention with the following:**

SURGERY SUPPORT SYSTEM FOR ENDOSCOPIC SURGERY

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 24 of the specification as follows:**

The devices including the first TV camera device 6, the first light source device 7, the high-frequency cauterizing device (called electric surgical knife, hereinafter) 8, the pneumoperitoneum apparatus 9, the video printer 10, the first display 12, the centralized operation panel 14 and ~~the system controller 15~~ and the like are connected to the system controller 15 through a cable, which will be described later. The apparatus including the first TV camera device 6, the first light source device 7, the high-frequency cauterizing device (called electric surgical knife, hereinafter) 8, the pneumoperitoneum apparatus 9, the video printer 10, the first display 12, the centralized operation panel 14 and the system controller 15 and the like can communicate with the system controller 15 interactively.

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 7 of the specification as follows:**

The second trolley 5 includes a second TV camera device 23, a second light source device 24, an ultrasonic processing device 25, a VTR 26, a second display 27, a centralized display panel 28 and a relay unit 29 and the like. The devices including the second TV camera device 23, the second light source device 24, the ultrasonic processing device 25, the VTR 26, the second display 27, the centralized display panel 28 and ~~the relay unit 29~~ and the like are connected to the relay unit 29 through a cable, not shown, and can interactively communicate with the relay unit 29.

**Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 26, line 19 of the specification as follows:**

When the NEXT switch ~~[[120]]~~ 118 is selected on the information-to-be-registered select screen 116, the centralized operation panel 67 further displays a detail screen (before addition) 119 shown in Fig. 21.